

SENATE No. 2193

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

Eric P. Lesser

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the adoption of the accompanying bill:

An Act to invest more in middle class jobs and less in the relocation of out-of-state corporations.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:	
<i>Eric P. Lesser</i>	<i>First Hampden and Hampshire</i>	
<i>Paul R. Feeney</i>	<i>Bristol and Norfolk</i>	
<i>Joanne M. Comerford</i>	<i>Hampshire, Franklin and Worcester</i>	
<i>Diana DiZoglio</i>	<i>First Essex</i>	<i>2/19/2019</i>
<i>Rebecca L. Rausch</i>	<i>Norfolk, Bristol and Middlesex</i>	<i>2/19/2019</i>
<i>Dean A. Tran</i>	<i>Worcester and Middlesex</i>	<i>3/20/2019</i>
<i>James K. Hawkins</i>	<i>2nd Bristol</i>	<i>2/19/2019</i>
<i>Peter Capano</i>	<i>11th Essex</i>	<i>2/20/2019</i>
<i>Carmine Lawrence Gentile</i>	<i>13th Middlesex</i>	<i>2/20/2019</i>
<i>Patrick M. O'Connor</i>	<i>Plymouth and Norfolk</i>	<i>2/20/2019</i>
<i>Cindy F. Friedman</i>	<i>Fourth Middlesex</i>	<i>2/21/2019</i>
<i>James T. Welch</i>	<i>Hampden</i>	<i>3/7/2019</i>
<i>Smitty Pignatelli</i>	<i>4th Berkshire</i>	<i>2/21/2019</i>
<i>John Barrett, III</i>	<i>1st Berkshire</i>	<i>2/21/2019</i>
<i>José F. Tosado</i>	<i>9th Hampden</i>	<i>2/22/2019</i>
<i>Brian M. Ashe</i>	<i>2nd Hampden</i>	<i>2/22/2019</i>
<i>Carlos González</i>	<i>10th Hampden</i>	<i>2/25/2019</i>
<i>Brendan P. Crighton</i>	<i>Third Essex</i>	<i>2/25/2019</i>

Liz Miranda
Stephan Hay

5th Suffolk
3rd Worcester

2/28/2019
3/1/2019

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By Mr. Lesser, a petition (accompanied by bill) (subject to Joint Rule 12) of Eric P. Lesser, Paul R. Feeny and Joanne M. Comerford for legislation to invest more in middle class jobs and less in the relocation of out-of-state corporations. Economic Development and Emerging Technologies.

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**In the One Hundred and Ninety-First General Court
(2019-2020)**

An Act to invest more in middle class jobs and less in the relocation of out-of-state corporations.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Section 63 of chapter 23A, as so amended in chapter 228 of the acts of
2 2018, is hereby amended by inserting at the end thereof the following subsection:-

3 “(h) Any grants over \$20 million issued under this section to municipalities or other
4 public instrumentalities used to incentivize corporations to relocate to the commonwealth that
5 have been rescinded due to non-compliance with the terms of said grant issuance shall be
6 redirected and awarded to vocational schools and school districts that include one or more
7 vocational schools to fund the design, construction, and renovation of said vocational schools
8 and equipment purchases and installation for vocational-technical education programs, as
9 defined in section 1 of chapter 74 of the general laws, in order to improve and augment said
10 programs and to reduce student waitlists at said vocational schools.”